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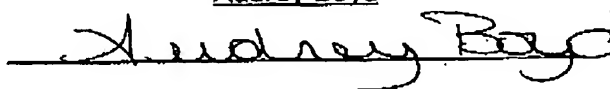
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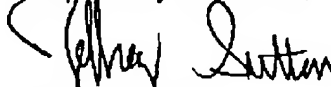
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above notice is attached.

Also enclosed, please find a Declaration and Power of Attorney for the subject patent  
application, which has been fully executed by the inventors of the subject patent application  
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Please charge the \$130.00 surcharge for late filing of the fully executed declaration  
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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/04/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/04/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/04/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/04/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/04/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/04/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 01/04/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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